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In re Patent Application of) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: